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40 Harbor Tender to Comm.

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P. & O. S. N. Co H. & W. Dock Company's Tug. H., C. and M. Steam-boat C. pany H., U. & M. Steam-boat Co. H., C. & M. Steam-boat Co.

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HONGKONG, THURSDAY, 7TH MAY, 1868.

New Advertisements.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY. RESPECTABLE Person as an AS-SISTANT in a Millinery Store. Apply to "A. B. C.," Office of this Paper.

Hongkong, April 21, 1868. EASTLACK & WINN. Surgeon Dentists,

HONGKONG & SHANGHAL R. WINN desires to say to his Patients

that he has RETURNED from Shang-Shareholders of the Hongkong Pints Hart.

Share Company held on the 8th instant, api Hongkong Lives Lives Hongkong Lives Hongkong Lives Hongkong Lives Lives

MRS. YINTON'S PRIVATE FAMO M BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT, Hollywood Road, next door to the Horel on FRIDAY, 15th May, at 7 A.M.

Hongkong, May 1, 1867. C. L. VOLKMANN, Private Boarding Establishment

29, HOLLYWOOD ROAD, HONGKONG. Hongkong, January 7, 1868.

Auctions. GENERAL WEEKLY AUCTION.

ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, at their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, on FRIDAY

8th instant, at Noon,— The following large Assortment of GOODS, namely:

Honey Comb Sponges, Zephyr Macin toshes, Shoe Brushes, Hand Scrubbers, Brushes, Silver Wire Tooth Brushes, Nail Brushes, Long Tar Brushes, Short Varnish Brashes, India Rubber Combs, Bath Gloves, Clark's Cotton, Ward's Best Thread, Deck Scrubbers, Carpet Brooms, Split Peas, Price's Paand on the receipt of such applications to tent Candles, Yellow Soap, Huntly and the extent of One Thousand Shares to call Palmers' Assorted Biscuits, Flavoring ah Extraordinary General Meeting of the Essences, Otto of Roses, Lavender Sa-Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, for the chet Bags, Honey Soap, Rowland's Ma-

50 cases Kerosine Oil. 3 hhds. Boiled Linseed Oil 50.10-shooter Revolvers 10,000 Cartridges. .

15 cases (3 doz. each) Porter, From 11 cases Port Fortnum and Mason. 3 cases Sherry....

A few cases Génuine Hennessy's 5 cases Bryant and Mays' Matches. 4 casks Nectar (Sover's).

A few barrels Fine Californian Flour. 70 casks best India Pale Ale, (pints and quarts). 30 casks Porter, (pints and quarts). 4 cases Fine Tobacco.

A few Fairbank's Platform Scales, all A few Bolts No. 1 Cotton Canvas,

Green Peas, String Beans, Green Corn, Clams, Red Current Jelly, Capers, Lima Beans, Assorted Sauces, Corn Meal Tomato Catsup, Half Barrels Beef, Half

TERMS OF SALE, - Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1. All lots with all faults and errors of description at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

Hongkong, May 5, 1868

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK. ING CORPORATION. SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman, Geonge John Helland, Esq. Deputy Chairman-GEO. F. HEARD, Esq. W. H. FOSTER, JR. JULIUS MENKE, Esq. JAMES B. TAYLOR, Solomon D. Sassoon, Esq. WILLIAM LEMANN, JAS. P. DUNCANSON,

Hongkong, VICTOR KRESSER, Esq. Chief Manager. Shanghae, . . DAVID MACLEAN, Esq. LONDON BANKERS, -London and County

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O of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily On Fixed Deposits For 8 months, 2 per cent. per annum. 9, 6 ,, 4 per cont. δ per cent. ,, ,, LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and

Exchange business transacted. winds the greater part of the passage.

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Hongkong, March 2, 1868.

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Singapore, Point de Galle, Aden Suez, Malta, Marseilles, and Southampton;

Bombay, Madras, and Calcutta. HE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM

sacrone Coste Mys. Steam-ship Her Majesty's Mails, Passeligers, precie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places,

CARGO and PARCELS will be receive on board until Noon, and SPECIE until 4 P.M. on the 14th Main For particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong.

CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES.

A written declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Koute is required by the Evyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agent's with the Bills of Lading, or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any detention of prejudice wnich may happen from incorrect ness on such declaration.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms, and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. W. MACAULAY, Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, May 4, 1868,



PACIFIC MAIL STEAM SHIP

S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK

QTEAMERS of this line will leave Hong No kong for Yokohama and San Francisco as follows :---CHINA, Capt. on or about May 25. Costa Rica will leave Shanghai on or

about same date, connecting at Yokohama with above named steamer. Passengers ticketed through to California, Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France, both via New York and by lines from Pa-

nama and Aspinwall Return tickets issued at a reduction of 10 % upon the whole amount for the round

Connections are made at Panama witl Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Central and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company, (Limited) and the "French Transatlant Company." And, at New York, with the various lines to Europe. Tickets issued for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cunard, Inman, National, General Transat lantic Co., New York and Havre Steamship Co., Hamburg and American Packet New York and Bremen Steam-ship Co., and North German Lloyds.

Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and, from Swatow, Amoy and Poochow. Through Bills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valparaiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton and St. Nazaire, France. For further information, apply at the

Agency of the Company, Praya West. GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent. Hongkoug, April 22, 1868.

Shipping.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Steam-ship

Captain Toppin, will leave ou und dersigned. day, the 8th instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, May 6, 1868. FOR VICTORIA & PORT TOWNSEND, (Puget Sound.) The British Ship

"SARAH MARCH. Captain Morron, will have early despatch as above. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, May 6, 1868.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The British ship "JOHN L. DIMMOCK," will have quick despatch as above. For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, April 23, 1868. FOR SAN-FRANCISCO. To follow, the

the American ship
"REYNARD,"
will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, April 23, 1868,

PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

The A I British barque Captain Bissert, having the greater portion of her Cargo engaged, will have quick lespatch as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ROZARIO & Co. Hongkong, April 14, 1868.

FOR SINGAPORE. The A 1 American Barque " JOHN WORSTER, Captain Knownes, will have immediate despatch for the

Hongkong, April 22, 1868

Notices to Consignies.

DUTCH BARQUE "STAD ASSEN,"

FROM BOMBAY. NONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above U Vessel are requested to send their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the

Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense without further BOSMAN & Co.

Hongkong, May 1, 1868. "GEORGE OROSHAIV" FROM LONDON. ONSIGNEES of cargo by the above named Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate

delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at the Consignees' risk and expense. THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED. Hongkong, May 5, 1868.

"ESTAFETTE," FROM AMSTERDAM AND SINGAPORE CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel are requested to send in .

their Lills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessignces' risk and expense.

THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED. Hongkong, May 6, 1868. "WINDWARD," FROM NEW YORK ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named Vessel are requested to send in

their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate deivery of their Goods. Those having the option of delivery at this or Shanghai are requested to state atonce, at which port delivery will be taken, Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, May 5, 1868.

"WEMYSS CASTLE," FROM LONDON. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods. Corgo impeding the discharge of the vesal will be landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense.

BIRLEY & Co. Hougkong, April 27, 1868,

Not ces of Firms.

NOTICE. INTE have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date.

DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868. NOTICE. R. THOMAS PYKE has this day been admitted a Partner in our Firm.

BIRLEY & Co. . Hongkong, January 2, 1868. NOTICE. THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr A ... Percusor in our Firm ceased on the

lst day of November, 1866. A. FERGUSON & Co. THE Business will be henceforth carried on under the same Name by the Un-

A. D. MITCHELL, J. D. MEYERS, and HENRY FEHRS.

Hongkong, December 16, 1867. de 16-68 NOTICE.

1 R. J. MURRAY FORBES is authorized to sign our name at Canton from this date. RUSSELL & Co.

China, February 15, 1868. NOTICE. THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr RICHARD B. PARR in our Firm, ceased on the 31st March, 1868.
ALFRED WILKINSON & Co.

MR BENJAMIN ROBERT STANFORD was admitted a Paitner in our Firm

on 1st January, 1868. J. McDONALD & Co. Shipwrights.

Hongkong, May 1, 1868 .HE connection of the Undersigned with

Hongkong, May 1, 1868,

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL

LONDON :- F. ALGAR, 11, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street. George Street. 30. Gornhill. GOBDON & GOTCH, 121, Holborn Hill, E.C. AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND :-GORDON & GOTOH, Mel-

bourne and Sydney. SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally: WHITE & BAUER, San

OHINA: Sicatow, DROWN & Co. Amou GILES & Co. Foochow, THOMPSON Co. Shanghai, H. Fogo & Co. Ma

mila, C. KARUTH & Co.

627139 OFFICIAL NOTIFICATIONS. It is hereby notified that, until further orders, the China Mail and Overland China Mail will be the official mediums of all Notifications proceeding from Her Britan

D. B. ROBERTSON, Consul, It is hereby notified that, until further orders, the China Mail and Overland China Mail will be the official mediums of all Notifications proceeding from Her Britan nic Majesty's Consulate at Amoy.

Arrivals. Mathebon & Co.

April 17 and May 1, Opium, &c. -P. & O. May 6, Chillingham, British barque, 452, Newchwang, April 21, Beans,-

Bolton, Calcutta and Singapore, April 22 and 28, 2,012 chests Opium. JARDINE, MATRESON & Co. May 7, Madros, North German barque, 299, Wupper, Newchwang, April 25, 7,400

REMEDIOS & Co.

Departures. May 7, Cornelia, for Amoor River. "Lahloo, for Foochow. Navarino, for Manila. . Gazelle, for Whampea. 7. Tycoon, for Saigon.

Passengers.

Per Mail steamer Ellora:-· From Madras to Hongkong,—Captain and Mrs Grant, child and infant; 2 native Officers; and 152 Non-Commissioned Officers of the 21st Native Infantry.

Von Horten and Mr Burgher. From Marseilles to Hongkong, Messrs | about-14 Officers, 2 Staff Sergeants, 90 Men, Forster, Austen, Hamilton, Pearcy, Hea- 9 Women and 12 Children. ton, Chapman, Gundry, King, Kinnear,

shall, Phillipens, Wagner and Leysohn, include Conveyance, freight of Baggage From Ma seilles to Nagasaki, -Mr Stok. | 22 of the Transport Regulations), the sup-

Forsyth, and Rev. and Mrs Syle,

From Singapore to Hongkong,-Mr N.

From Singapore to Shanghai, -Mr H.

The North German barque Madras, from Newchwang, reports the first part of passage fine weather; wind from Southerly till Table use, Cooking Utensils, Fuel, Lights. thick foggy weather until arrival in port.

The Spanish barque Minerva, from Manila, reports fine weather and light wind the Staff Sergeants and Troops, as well as and calms till Prata Shoal; from thence for their families, will be found by Governsteady N.E. wind till arrival in portion The Italian barque Lima, from Callao,

The British barque Chillingham, from keeper, and bear in the left hand corner the Newchwang, reports having crossed the words. "Tender for the Conveyance of Troops."

SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI AND

nic Majesty's Consulate at Canton. British Consulate, Canton, April 16, 1866

British Consulate, Amoy, April 22, 1866 R. SWINHOE, Consul.

May 6, Lima, Italian barque, 256, Meinhard, Callao, Feb. 15, Guano. -JARDINE, May 6, Ellora, British steamer, 1,579, J. S. Murray, Bombay and Singapore

Reiver, British steamer, 777,

picula Peas - SIEMASEN & Co. May 7, Minerau Spanish barque, 273. P. Carreras, Mauila, April 26, General.

, Glenroy, for Whampoa. , Erl King, for Shanghai.

ARRIVED. Per Reiver, Messrs Warnee, Thorburn and Kruffman, and 100 Chinese.

From Southampton to Hougkong, -Messrs Instant, at Noon, he will be ready to treat Conconi, Mosscrop and Beart; Miss Jane under the conditions contained in the Re-Gillbee, Messrs J. R. Jamieson and Edwin gulations of Her Majesty's Transport Ser-From Suez to Hongkong, -Captain J. N.

Hales, Goddard, Gamwell, Dubost, Mar- (Officers and Men separately), which are to

From Marseilles to Yokohama, -Mr Wal- ply of Articles for the Mess place, Cabina From Southampton to Changhai, -Mr and use of Staff Sergeants and Troops, and Mrs Carter, Mr, and Mrs King; Mr. C. From Marseilles to Shanghai, -Mesers Fuel, Light and Necessaries for their use sex, and Mrs Robinson.

Shipping Reports.

reports the first part of the passage line Person is to be provided by the owners at weather and moderate wind; crossed the their expense to manage the Distilling Ap-Equator on 13th March, in long. 134 W.; paratus, to keep it in effective working or

laca steering to the N.E., and on same day, spoke the Siamese ship Meridia, also steering to the same course. Under Despatch. For Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.—Per

4th May, passed the Dutch barque Ma-

Undine, on Friday, the 8th instant, at For further Arrivals, New Adver-

tisements, &c., &c., see 2nd page New Advertisements.

ЧОКОНАМА THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steam-Ship leave for the above places at 9 P.M. TO-DAY, the 7th instant.

Hongkong, May 7, 1868. PREMIUM OFFERED.

R an Approved Remedy AGAINS? WHITE ANTS. Apply to "J.M. Office of this Paper. Hongkong, May 6, 1868.

AQUATIC SPORTS THE Harbour RACE postponed from the Meeting held in November last, will take on place SATURDAY, May 30th. Particulars can be obtained from the Un-HOWARD HODGES,

Hongkong, May 6, 1868. THE CHINA MAGAZINE, VEEKLY MISCELLANY ILLUSTRATED WITH PHOTOGRAPHS, CONDUCTED BY C. LANGDON DAVIES. No. 6, May 2nd, 1868.

Hon. Sec. H. S. B.

MANIFESTHATIONS LETTER WRITTEN BY MR Home for the Inquisition at FREIND OF HER BROTHER, A NOVELETTE, A.Chap. V. ... SENSATION POETRY. THE STREET LETTER-WRITER (illustrated).

Round Hongkong in the Daisy (illus

THE COURSE OF "THE DAISY" OFF KOW-LOON IN THE EARLY MORNING. THE STREET LETTER-WRITER Subscription, \$7.50 per quarter, payable n advance. Hongkong, Noronha & Sons; Shanghai, L.H. de Carvalho; London, W. Allen &

Illustrations.

A Trip to JAPAN.

PASSING EVENTS.

Co.; Paris, C. Borrani,

Hongkong, May 4, 1868,

H. M. NAVAL YARD, Hongkong, 1st May, 1868. THE Naval Storekeeper hereby gives notice that on THURSDAY, the 14th

vice and the form of Charter Party which

may be seen at the above Office, for the Conveyance from Hongkong to England of Tenders are to be made at rates per head according to Government Scale (Appendix and Berths (Appendix 15), Articles for Table. drinking Tanks for use on the Mess Deck (Appendix 16), and of cooking Utensils, Gilman, Annett, Ringer, Milsom and Es- (Appendix 17), as well as of all such Stores especially those referred to in Article 97 and other requisites as are required by the Transport Regulations to be provided by

the owners. Messing for Officers or other 1st class or 2nd class Passengers, is to be supplied by the owners, and will be paid for (in addition to the above charges per head) at the rates specified in Appendix 25 of the Regulations, which rates are to include the supply of Bedding (exclusive of Bed Linen and Towels), Medical Comforts, Articles for 1st May, then had strong N.E. wind and other requisites (Article 201 and Appendix 15 to 17 of the Regulation.) Fittings will be erected, and Provisions. Water, Medical Comforts, and Bedding for ment, Owners are to supply a Distilling Apparatus, the requisites for baking Bread. and Water Casks or Tanks. A competent

Figure on 13th March, in long, 134 W., from thence had fine weather and light wind from E. to S.E. till lat 14 N., then had variable winds; in China sea had fine weather until London Island, after which had in port, 81 days out. On 16th Mar., spoke the American whaler Amy, in lat 4 N., long, 138 W., with 300 casks of oil on board.

HONGKONG For the distilled Water, and to issue the distilled Water.

Payment will be made for Staff Sergeants and their families at the rates exceeding by one third those which may be agreed upon for the Troops and their families.

All Tenders must be made upon the Private Rooms for Din Breakfast from 9 to obtained on application at the said Office, and be enclosed in staled envelope and addressed to the Naval Stores. envelope and addressed to the Naval Store-

ALITH reference to the following Resor plications for Shares in the Hongkong Fire e STEAM TOWNSHIELD & Insurance Company Limited will be received by the General Managers, the form

of application to be as follows:-To the General Managers and Consulting Committee of the Hongkong Fire In-BURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, MACAULAY, GENTLEMENT tachquist a dial of Frequest you to allot me

One Thousand Dollars each in the above named Company, and I agree to accept such Sheres, or any less number which may be allotted to me, and to pay a Call of One Hundred Dollars per Share on allotment, and a further Call of One Hundred Dollars per Share, six months after allotment, and I further undertake to subscribe to the Deed of Settlement when called on to do so. -I remain: Gentlemen. Your Obedient Servant,

New Advertisements

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL \$2,000,000, IN 2,000 SHARES OF

\$1,000 RACH.

\$100 per Share to be paid on Allotment, and

\$100 six months after Allotment.

No. 1. That the General Managers and Consulting Committee are hereby authorized to adopt measures for the reconstruction of the Company as the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited, on the basis propositoshes, S'ed in the Memorandum of the 2nd April Crumb presented to this Meeting. That the General Managers and Consult-

ing Committee are hereby requested to re-

ceive applications for Shares in the Hong-

RESOLUTIONS REFERRED TO ABOVE.

kong Fire Insurance Company, Limited purpose of authorizing its dissolution and cassar Oil, &c., &c. the transfer of its assets and liabilities to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers

Hongkong Fire Insurance Company. N.B.—Forms of application for Shares may be had at the Office of the Company, Queen's Road. Hongkong, April 9, 1868.

HE Undersigned having PURCHASED L the Interest of the "WANCH! STEAM BAKERY," begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and Ship Masters that he is prepared to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD in various forms, to any part of the Co-

Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at low rates constantly on hand or baked in quantities at short notice. Also Water, Butter, Soda and Sugar BISCUITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pound. Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY CORN STARCH, BICARB. SODA, Saleratus and Cream TARTAR.

FLOUR of best Brands constantly on hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or CAKE of all kinds baked to order. The above is under the Superintendence of Mr. Jonathan Parsons, and all orders | Barrels Tongues. forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at Messra Thos. Hunt & Co.'s will receive prompt attention.

Hougkong, February 17, 1868. DERSONS and FAMILIES requiring Su-

"STAG HOTEL."

L. P. WARD.

perior Hotel Accommodation will fine it at the above Establishment. EDMUND R. HOLMES. Breakfast.

Refreshments provided at all hours, Regular Duily Mess at \$30 per month. The undermentioned Papers are filed:-China Mail. Vaily Press, China Express, Illustrated London News, Punch, Engineer, Scientific American, China Punch.

Tiffin 1 to 2 P.M. Dinner at 7 P.M.

ICED DRINKS. Hongkong, May 4, 1868. HONGKONG HOTEL.

Private Rooms for Dinner parties.

Breakfast from 9 to 10 A.M. N.B.—The Public Bar will be open on Saturday, the 7th instant. CHAS. S. DUGGAN. Munager,

9 casks very fine Cork Butter.

Assorted Meats, Soupe and Boulli, Saloon Matches, Preserved Oysters, Chicken, Turkey, &c., &c., &c.

Banks. DOLLARS.

HE above Hotel is now open, where ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate Families and Gentlemen can find su- of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily

STEAM FOR

Shipping. FOR MELBOURNE & SYDNEY.

Hongkong, April 16, 1868.

the Firm of Messrs Thos. Hunr & Co. ceases from this date. J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr A. D. MITCHELL in our Firm, ceased on the 31st day of December, 1867. A. FERGUSON & Co. Hongkoug, January 8, 1868.

NOTICE. INROM and after this date Mr George F. BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this

S. L. PHELPS.

Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

NOTICE. HE interest and responsibility of Mr. W. C. VAN CORDT in our firm ceased on the 1st January, 1866. BOSMAN & Co. Hongkong, November 19, 1867.

Have this day established myself as a General Commission Merchant under the style or firm of VAN OORDT & Co. W. C. VAN OORDT. Yokohama, October 24, 1867.

NOTICE MAY Business, as Ship and Insurance W Broker, Commission Agent, &c. hitherto carried on by myself, will henceforward be conducted under the style or Firm of J. S.

Hook, Son & Co. J. S. HOOK. Hongkong, September 23, 1867.

S my Engagement geases in May next A all outstanding Accounts for the past Two Years must be sent in immediately for

MARY HASTELOW RANDLE. Superintendent. Diocesan School.

Hongkong, January 2, 1868. NOTICE. FHAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under he Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER

GIFFORD FORBES PARKER. Saigon, December 20, 1867.

NOTICE. ROM and after this date, Captain J. C. SAUNDERS will undertake the Business of my Marine Surveying at this port.

H. J. DRING, Marine Surveyor. Foochow, August 1, 1867.

reference to the above, the business hitherto carried on by H. J. DRING, Esq. at Foochow will conducted by the Undersigned. J. C. SAUNDERS,

Pagoda Anchorage

Foochow, August 1, 1867.

I HAVE this day established myself at this Port as a Public Tea Inspector and General Commission Agent under the Style or Firm of JOHN ODELL & Co.

Foochow.

JOHN ODELL. Foochow, April 13, 1868. HOBSON & Co., TOUBLIC AUCTIONEERS, SHIPPING

AND GENERAL BRÓKERS COMMISSION MERCHANTS, KOBE, HIGGO, JAPAN.

TAR. SIDNEY DEACON is authorized to IVI sign our Firm per procuration from

DEACON & Co.

Canton, February 1, 1868.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr EMIL MAINTZ and Mr James Wheatley in our Firm ceased on 30th April last, and Mr FREDERIC C. ADAMS and Mr LEOPOLD KAHN are this day admitted as Partners.

REISS & Co. China and Japan, May 1, 1868. NOTICE. HE Interest and Responsibility of MI ELDRED HALTON in our Firm ceased

on the 30th June last, and Mr JAMES PEN-DER DUNCANSON was admitted a Partner on the 1st July. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, January 11, 1866.

NOTICE. THAVE established myself at this Port as a General Storekeeper and Commisri u Agent.

JAMES EDWARDS 89, Yokohama, March 19, 1868.

R RYLE HOLME has been admitted a partuer in our Firm. GLUVER & Co. Nagasaki, January I. 1867.

Houses and Lands.

TO BE LET: Furnished or Unturnished. 11: Dwelling HOUSE in the Albany at present occupied by Mr N. R. Masson. Occupation can be had in a few weeks. Application can be made to Mr Masson at

Alongkong, September 25, 1867. TO LET. 13 HE PREMISES situated at Fedder's | BREG & Co., consisting of Dwelling House, Wharf, lately occupied by Messrs Offices, and spacious Godowns.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Possession can be taken on the 1st of January 1808. For further particulars, apply to THOS, HUNT & Co.

Hongkong, December 30, 1867.

TO LET.

HOUSE in Spring Gardens, containing four Rooms and Out Houses; Rent, For particulars, apply to CHARLES RIVINGTON, \$28 uer mouth. Apply at the Victoria Foundry. Hougkong, March 12, 1868.

Hongkong, March 4, 1866

And the second second

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE. THE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Merchandise, in their own Boats, and to receive the same on STORAGE in First-class Granite godowns, on Moderate Terms. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

Houses and Lands.

TO LET. HE Premises situated in Queen's Road, Stanley Street, and at present occupied by Messrs H. MARSH & Co. For particulars, apply to LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co

TO LET. WO HOUSES on Carlton Terrace Spring Gardens, with or without Godowns, rent moderate.

Hongkong, 5th September, 1867,

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TO LET. IWO Fine Houses marked C & D in Hollywood Road, Hongkong, facing the Hotel d'Europe, and commanding a full view of the Harbour. Also two fine Houses on the Praya Grande, Macao. Immediate possession.

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For further particulars, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co., Hougkoug;

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and enclosed by a substantial brick wall,

known as the French Marine Lot and re-

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No. 199. Measuring on the Praya and the

South side, each 170 feet, and on the East

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Possession to be had on the 1st March.

Hongkong, February 22, 1868.

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JOHN BURD & Co.

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Hongkong, January 24, 1868.

Hongkong, April 18, 1868.

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THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED

HE Company respectfully beg to call the attention of Ship Owners, Consignees and Masters of Vessels to their establishments at Whampoa and Hongkong, which offer every facility for the docking and repairs of Vessels of all classes. This plot of Ground facing the Praya is Their Docks at Whampon are in good

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Their Hongkong establishment (lately known as Messrs Thus. Hunt & Co.'s Wanchi Shipyard) comprises also the different departments of Shipwright, Blacksmith, Boilermaker and Machinery works and possesses a pair of lifting shears. Their Granite Dock at Kowloon most advantageously situated, solidly built, and of full dimensions to admit the docking of any

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STORAGE AN be had in First Class (ranite Godowns at Wanchai, on very moderate BRITISH CONSULATE.

Hongkong, January 1, 1868. TEITHER Captain nor Agents will be responsible for any Debts contracted y the Crew of the barque "Navarino."
PETER WITBROG,

At Messrs Liandstein & Co.'s Office,

Stanley Street.

Hongkong, March 28, 1868.

New Advertisements.

HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take mmediate delivery. Ex "Tigre," 5th December, 1867.

. 1 Basket Feathers Ex " Donnai," 7th January, 1868. 1 Case Paper, Ex "Imperatrice," 7th April. 8 Cases Liquors. Ex "Tigre," 3rd May. De Rostang. 1 Parcel. 1 case Ph'graphs.

-U. BERTRAND, Principal Agent Hongkong, May 7, 1868. HONGKONG AMATEUR THEA-

TRICAL SOCIETY. NOTICE.

HE Performance advertised for Monday Evening, the 11th instant, is unavoidably POSTPONED till further notice. H. HARRINGTON NELSON,

Hon. Sec. Hongkong, May 7, 1868.

TO INVALIDS AND OTHERS. I UST landed, ex "REIVER," from Calcutta, some very fine GUAVA JELLY

THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY, Hongkong. Hongkong, May 7, 1868.

SAYLE & Co., VICTORIA EXCHANGE,

INVITE inspection of their New and well assorted summer Stock of Black and Blue Broad CLOTHS,

Naval and Military CLOTHS. Light Mixt and Fancy TWEEDS.

Self and Fancy Colored FLANNELS. Plain and Fancy DRILLS, DUCKS, &c.

Quilting and Marseilla VESTINGS. The Tailoring Department under the management of first class English Cutters.

TIES and SCARFS in great variety. The new Shapes in Gentlemen's COLLARS. Long Cloth, Silk and Wool SHIRTS.

PAJAMAS.

Gauze, Merino and Silk UNDERVESTS HOSIERY of all kinds.

Gentlemen's Straw and Felt HATS in Various Shapes.

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FLOWERS, FEATHERS, &c. Ladies' and Childrens' UNDER-CLOTHING

Ladies' Cotton and Lisle HOSIERY. LISLE and Silk GLOVES, &c.

Lace and Muslin CURTAINS.

Hongkong, April 27, 1868.

berth, at reduced rates.

All works carried on under the superin- | English Sovereigns,

At the Office of the Company.

tion of the Directors. Hongkong, April 28, 1868. CONSULAR NOTIFICATION,

CANTON, 8th April, 1868 FHE Undersigned has been instructed by Sir Rutherford Aloock, K.C.B., Her Maiesty's Minister in China, &c., &c., to obtain the views of those interested in the trade of Canton regarding the establish. ment of a Bonded Warehouse, and would feel obliged by any information on the subject they will favour him with either separately or collectively. D. B. ROBERTSON.

Steam Tugs.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

STEAM-TUG "FAME," 110 II. P. NOMINAL. With disconnecting Engines. THIS Powerful TUG is available at any

moment to Berth Vessels in Harbour, or Tow them to or from Sea. For particulars, apply to the Captain on board, or to the Office of the Company, d'Aguilar Street, Hongkong.
JOHN S. LAPRAIK,

Hongkong, October 13, 1866.

NOTICE. HESTEAM TUG ISLAND QUEEN 130 H. P. Nominal, will commence to ply on the River Min and adjacent waters early in the spring, and will then be available to berth ships at the anchorage, and to tow to, and from, sea at usual rates. For further information, apply to Messrs E. H. How & Co., Foothow, or to the Undersigned.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Hongkong, February 10, 1868.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS. MAILS WILL CLOSE:-For S'HAI, N'PO, N'SAKI & Y'HAMA,-Per P. & O. Contract Packet " CADIZ, at 8 P.M., To-day, the 7th instant.

For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.— Per "UNDINE," on Friday, the 8th instant, at 11.30 A.M. For INDIA, EUROPE, &c. Per La Compagnie des Services Mari times des Messageries Imperiales Str

"TIGRE," on Saturday, 23rd inst. at 11 o'clock A.M. To and through the United Kingdom via Marseilles to France and other Continental States (in a closed mail to France) to Saigon, Singapore, Galle, India. ritius, Suez and Alexandria. ters for Registration will be received until Noon on 23rd instant.

Correspondence intended to be forward-Denford, Berks, Esq. No cards. ed by the vessels of the above company must be superscribed per Messageries Imperiales Packet "-F. W. MITCHELL,

Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hongkong, May 1, 1868.

UNDER DESPATCH. For Shanghai, Ningpo, Nagasaki and Yokohama, -- Per P. & O. Contract Packet Cadiz, at 9 P.M., To day, the 7th instant.

LATEST SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. May 7, Pepati, Span. barque, 266, G. Olibaris, Manila, April 26, General.—Re-

May 7, Bob Tail Nag, Brit. schooner, 170, Greham, Bangkok, April 11, 4,000 piculs Rice. - G. HOLMES May 7, Henri IV., Freh. ship, 750, Monillot, Saigon and Cape St. James, Apri 22 and 27, 15,000 piculs Rice and 3,000 pi

culs Fish. — Order May 7. Glengyle, from Canton. DÉPARTURES. May 7, Eliza, for San Francisco. 7. Sir Lancelot, for Foochow.

CLEARED. Ruby, for Saigon.

Undine, for Swatow. SHIPPING REPORTS The British schooner Bob Tail Nag, from Bangkok, reports variable weather and had strong N.E. wind and rain.

reports fine weather until last four days then strong N.E. wind and very heavy sea and much rain.

Cargo per Mail steamer Ellora:-Malwa for Hongkong, \$840 chests Persian for Malwa for Shanghai,

1781 chests From Australia to Hongkong, £11,200. From Singapore to

From Loudon to Shanghai, £16,735. From Marseilles to Shanghai, £ 6,262. QUOTATIONS.

Hongkone, 7th May, 1868. OPIUM.—Patna, New, ... \$650 Benares, New, Malwa, ... COTTON.—BOMBAY.

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Exchange. Bank, 6 months' sight, ... On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 2174 -,, Shanghae, 3 days' sight Bank, Tls. 721 Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., ... 114 per c. pre. Gold Bar, 98 touch,

CALOUTTA.

Australian Sovereigns, Discount. 40 per Share. Gas Company Shares, H. & W. pon dock, Old, 14 per cent pm. New, 6 per cent pm. H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, 16 per cent pm.

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	Honokone, 7th May, 1866.		
	ELONG KONG, 7110 2	BA.M.	3 P.1
. 1	Barometer,	80.092	
	Attached Thermometer,	72	73
	Dry Bulb,	72.5	72.5
.	Wet Bulb,	70.0	-70.5
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o.	Max. Sun's Rays,	_ .	77.0
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CHINA PUNCH IS PUBLISHED THIS DAY,

May 5th, 1868. Single Copies may be had at Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s, and Mr J. B. Morris, news-agent, (Messrs Bowra & Co.) -Price 50 cents.

Notes & Queries on China & Japan Vol. 2, No. 4, IS NOW READY.

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REPLIES:-Paintings at entrances of Mandarin yamuns ; Coffins, Tombstones, and Mourning Cards, -Chinese Actors, -Hebrew MSS, from K'ai-Fung-Foo, on Chinese coins; Meaning of the term | they wished to say than what was actual-T'ang; The words T'ang shan,

REVIEWS :- Os Chins de Macau, -The China Magazine. NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS..... BOOKS FOR SALE AND WANTED...

MARRIAGE. On the 5th inst., at St. Stephen's, Shepherd's-bush, by the father of the bridegroom, assisted by the Rev. W. L. Collett. Aden, Seychelles, Reunion and Mau- incumbent, EDWARD GEORGE, second son Let- of the Rev. M. J. MAYERS, rector of St Peter's, Winchester, to EMMA ANNIE, 2nd

THE CHINA MAIL.

daughter of the late RICHARD ALLEN, of

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, MAY 7, 1868. THE CHINESE AND THE GAMB

LING LICENCES.

WE have gleaned from reliable sources particulars of the interview recently accorded to certain Chinese residents by His Excellency the Governor and we can scarcely do better than direct Edinburgh has evoked strong demonstrapublic attention to the general tenor of the remarks made. The deputation—for so we will term it for the sake of convenience—consisted of the head of the native firm of Ho A-tick & Co. and the Compradores of Messrs Gibb, Livingston & Co., Douglas Lapraik & Co., Augustine Heard & Co., and of the Chartered Mercantile bank. They fairly represented the general intelligence of the native class! whose interests are injured by the existing regulations in favour of gambling, and, ney the Consul, H. H. Hall, Esq., obthe first-named acted as spokesman. The light winds to Macclesfield Bank; thence interview was not ostensibly for the purpose of discussing the gambling ordinance, The French ship Henry IV., from Saigon, but it was mentioned in the course of conversation and elicited a decided pression of opinion in its dis-favour. connection with the opinions expressed we would refer to the feeling entertained

by respectable Chinese when brought face to face with Government officials; and we are able in this case not merely to allude to it in general terms, but to assert that, despite any encouragement given to the deputation to speak their minds, they did on this occasion refrain from saying much that they deseired to bring forward from a sense of respect to him whom they addressed. It is impossible to arrive at the real opinions of the Chinese by inviting them to any personal interviews with the Governor or Colonial Secretary. This is openly avowed by the Chinese themselves, and it becomes therefore additionally necessary that when, as on the present occasion, it lies in our power to express more fully the real views of the respectable native classes, we should

It is estimated by influential Chinese that, taking the whole well-to do native | Protestant's and Roman Catholics; and the population, the proportion entirely opposed to legalizing gambling is 80 per cent; ness and a depth of feeling which touched and this does not appear to overstep the all hearts. It was a grand spectacle, as any actual fact of the case. It is said we large assemblage, swayed by one impulse, actual fact of the case. It is said, we and that impulse a humane and noble case, cannot tell with what exact truth, that necessarily must be: Every loyal sentialthough the principal proprietors of the ment was cheered to the echo; every reso-Gambling Farm Company are Cantonese, Intion carried by tumultuous acclamation; there are many householders and com- and when the voices of that great assemminal. pradores more or less interested in its blage, composed as it was of men belonging to all classes of society, swelled out into the National Authem, there was something buts so much money into their problets. puts so much money into their pockets, tion. Since then every place of importance. It is at all events but this class, be it in the colony has eagerly followed the state. .M. It is at all events but this class, be it in the colony has eagerly ronounce.

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Colony could not fairly be credited to the

make the most of the opportunity.

version of the interview,) replied that, on the contrary to the improved system of na. tive watchmen and the increased efficiency of the police, might be attributed nearly all of the improvement alluded to, Pressed upon the question of what practical evil was caused by these houses, they referred to the increased facilities which they offered to subordinates temporarily in charge of other people's eash, to gamble. It is a very strong temptation to a Chinese when he has the chance of not only replacing without detection any money belonging to his employer which he may risk, but of also pocketing a good round sum for himself-at some risk it is true, but at a risk which is but too frequently successfully encountered. It is noteworthy that the deputation referred also to the increase of European gambling in disparaging terms. But, Chinaman-like, they remarked that these measures related to the public good, and that it was rather the duty of His Excellency to judge as to the results of his own policy than for them to speak too strongly in condemnation-at least this was the sense of what was said, although we may presume that the hint was conveyed in a less direct form. At all events the above remarks embody what the deputation meant to imply, though, as we have before said, our -The Uigurs, -Advance of a Chinese information coming from exclusively na-General to the Caspian, - Characters tive sources, may rather relate to what ly said.

The deputation have, it is said, been directed by His Excellency to obtain as fully as possible the opinions of the respectable population and to wait upon him in a day or two with the results of their enquiries. But we scarcely hope that they will venture to state the case as fully as it is stated to us, and as doubtless his Excellency desires. We, therefore, mention a suggestion which has been made by an intelligent native to the effort that if the Governor really desires to obtain the true opinions of the natives, he should print a circular form in Chinese, leaving blanks for answers, to be addressed to the master of each Hong and Shop, and to each Compradore in Victoria. If it were guaranteed that none but the Governor and Registrar. General would see the replies they would in most cases be filled in truthfully. Whatever the suggestion be worth it is a bona fide native idea, and as such we place it at His Excellency's disposal,

THE attempted murder of the Duke of

tions from the colonists in the Australias generally. The American element in the population is very prominent in the outburst of feeling which the outrage has elicited. In Melbourne and Sydney Americans met and adopted addresses of sympathy with His Royal Highness, and n every case some allusion has been made to the time when, an assassin's hand having bereaved the States of a beloved ruler, Her Majesty of England offered friendly consolation to the woman who shared with herself the solitariness of widowhood. At the meeting in Sydserved—"I am persuaded that any feeble efforts we may make here to show our sympathy for his Royal Highness in his sufferings, caused by this dastardly attack, will be fully responded to by our Government, and by every true-hearted American so soon as the sad news reaches our distant land. It will also tend to recall a similar occurrence in America, which, in that instance, proved fatal and deprived us of one of our best belowed and most able statesmen." Other speakers recelled the fact that "the first expression of sympathy the American nation received came from the Queen of England:" that "the Queen had always shown the reatest respect to the Ameri caus as a people, and had paid a higher compliment to one of their citizens (Mr Peabody) than she had ever done to any subject of her own." The motion for an address was unanimously carried. We have no doubt that many such expressions will reach the Queen from various parts of Her Majesty's dominions. Is it too much to expect that one should ema-

nate from her subjects in Hongkong What was felt and expressed in the Victoria of the South may be gathered from the following paragraph in the Australasian:-

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had lifted his hand against the Prince in

Sydney, between six and seven thousand people flocked to the largest hall in Melbourne, to record their abhorrence of the crime. The mayor of the city occupied the chair, the speakers were the political leaders of both parties, and represented both oratory was characterised by an impressive. Queeusland, and in Tasmania, similar meetings have been held, and corresponding nor, we understand, asked whether the sentiments expressed. In the latter island decrease of robberies, and the disappear. the citizens of Hobart Town would not suffer the business of the meeting to be proceeded with until the Union Jack had been procured and hoisted over the heads of the this the Chinese, (according to their own for the Union and the mother country.

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tution of the Legislative Council of this Colony :--

Adderley's reason for maintaining an official majority in the Legislative Council is that In the House of Commons on the 23rd Mr tion. We entirely deny that he would be Rangoon," in a worse position than at present. A goyernor is surely supposed to have some THE French Government has just promulhe exercised in virtue of it. He would and the King of Siam, by which the latter thus openly, and in his own person, exert accepts its protectorate over Cambodge, and the power he now wields by means of his permits its vessels to navigate freely in the Can a more invidious position than this be flag. imagined?

there is not, numerically, quite so over has been presented to the Government. whelming, it is equally effective. We are The reply was to the effect that the matter told, indeed, that on one occasion, owing was receiving all possible attention, and to the defection of two of his subordinates. that a despatch relative to it had been the Acting Governor found himself in the transmitted to the Secretary of State for enjoyment of a majority of one only: India. whereupon he communicated his doubts and fears to the Home Government. The reply THE Penang Petition to the House of Comwas prompt and decisive :- "I expect that mons, on the subject of direct mail comany member of the Council who is in re- munication, which was intrusted to Mr ceipt of a salary from Government will, Thomas Baring, M.P., for presentation, has under all circumstances, support Govern- not yet been presented. The petition is ment by his vote, and trust that in case he | considered to make out a strong case for finds it impossible to reconcile such a line Penang, and several influential members of of conduct with his conscience or his honor. Parliament have promised it their support. he will not hesitate in resigning his situation. Moveover, I should not be displeas. MR Hadow, deputy-chairman of the P. ed to learn that in the event of any official | O. Company, succeeds the late Mr Andermember acting contrary to the spirit of son, as chairman. these instructions, that the governor for the time being had suspended him forthwith | A VERY numerous and influential meeting from the exercise of his official functions pending further instructions from home." Here is a humiliating situation for an English gentleman to be placed in; decorated with the prefix "l'onourable" yet compelled to vote against his own convictions! Can anything be more degrading than such a position, or more disgraceful to the government that forces it on its servants? Surely a Governor, acting alone and responsible only to the Crown, would be preferable to such a mockery of self-government as this.

We trust that the House of Commons has not yet heard the last of Ceylon misgovernment, and that the case of Hongkong will be promptly brought to its notice. This Legislative Council grievance, although it has long been a source of serious dissatisfaction in the colony, is not referred to in the Hongkong memorial. We recommend it therefore to the early attention of the Hongkong Association of London, for no measures they can devise to promote the welfare of the colony are likely to be permanently auccessful unless preceded by some measure of reform in the system of local government.

LOCAL.

· SUMMARY JURISDICTION COURT.

There were no cases of paramount im portance in this Court to day, the on one of any public interest on the being the long-pending suit raised Wahee & Co., sugar refiners, East Point against the Captain and Owners of the ship Red Riding Hood; which was postponed

We regret to have to chronicle the failure of another Chinese Hong in the bazaarwith liabilities amounting to about \$60,000 and assets unknown but rumoured to be. like those of the last failure, disproportionately small. Thus within a month the del credere commissions of our hard-working merchants may be said to have been mulct ed in the little sum of \$100,000. This Europeans is, like the sinking of the Pow der hulk, a dead loss. It is not really dead loss, because somebody, not European must have profited by it. Who? is a ones tion which it is perhaps useless to ask. but which it would be extremely interesting to get answered.—Straits Times.

We understand that many cases of interes to the mercantile community will be trie at the Civil Sittings which are to be opened on Monday next. Among these is one brought by a Native money lender against a Chinese mercantile firm, to recover the sum of \$4,000, advanced upon the British brig Black Diamond. on a voyage from this port to Penang, Acheen and Saigon. will be remembered that this vessel by the British steamer Bombar Castle in the Straits of Malacca in Angus last, and it is set forth by the plaintiff, that as Malacca was not mentioned in the Bot tomry or Mortgage Bond as one of the ports at which the vessel was to have called it was a deviation of her voyage to have touched at that port against which it set forth by the defendants, that it is customary for Straits trading vessels to call at Malacca, either on their passage from Singapore to Penang, and vice versa. Atchison is Counsel for the Plaintiff, and Mr Braddell for the Defendants. -Straits

Mesers Denny Brothers, of Dumbarton, for cotton, which were weighed the whole day the Vicercy of Canton, have just been long under the verandah, -Defendant said launched, fully completed, with their engines and boilers on board. After the hecessary trial trips their propellers will be disconnected, and they will proceed at once under canvas to their destination, where they will soon render a satisfactory account of some of the pirates still infesting the toast. We cannot see, however, that this host praiseworthy stop on the part of the Viteroy in any way exonerates our own Government from the duty of sending out the vessels specially provided for the protection of British commerce in China waters. -L. and C. Express.

if the number were equalised, the Governor Baines moved for "copies of replies to me- to-day to Tuesday next, on account of the would have to exercise a casting vote, and morials on direct commerce with the Shan departure of the Shanghai Mail. would thus be placed in an invidious posi- States and West of China from the port of

responsibility, and this casting vote would gated at Paris the Convention between it submissive but unwilling tools. At present ports of the river Mekong, and of the interhe says to his Council, "Gentlemen, here nal sea which touches the Siamese possesis a measure which you will be good enough sions. It also publishes another Convento pass. Perhaps you don't like it; but tion, by which French subjects are allowed that is of no consequence. Two thirds of to import into the kingdom of Siam wines vou hold government appointments, and and fermented drinks on payment of 3 per will be dismissed if you vote against it." cent. ad valorem, and to do so under any

A very similar state of things exists in A TELEGRAM from Calcutta, dated Feb. Hongkong. Its Legislative Council is prac- 22, and received on the 21st, states that Telegraph, signed by numerous merchants,

of members of Parliament, bankers, merchants, and others, representing various interests in the East, was held on the 23rd instant, at the Mausion-house, to consider the present state of telegraphic communication with India, which is alleged on all hands to be extremely unsatisfactory.

TO-DAY'S POLICE.

(Before Mr May.)-A respectable-looking coolie was charged with having attempted to pass a counterfeit dollar upon a shop-keeper in Mosque Street last night. This morning, however, it was discovered that the dollar was perfectly good; and the prisoner was consequently discharged with an expresion of regret that the dollar should not have been examined last night. Abraham Sharp, a seaman from the ship

Deerfoot, was charged by a Chinese shopkeeper with having stolen a quantity of Calcutta soap from complainant's shop. Defendant pleaded that he had bought the soap in the morning, and had been carrying it about with him all day; be did not steal the soap. He could not say "zakly" what shop he got the soap at, but he got a bottle of gin at the same place. Two of the Carmarthenshire men and one of his ship-mates saw him with the soap; and he wished to get them brought to give evidence. His Worship therefore adjourned the case. instance of the way in which evidence is cooked was shown in this case, one of the interpreters having overheard one of complainant's witnesses being posted up as to what to say-which fact did not seem to affect the case in the eyes of the worthy

Thomas Crowe, seaman of the Sea Ripple, was charged with larceny from the grogshop named "The Land We Live In. Louis Kirschman, landlord of the tavern referred to, stated that on returning to the house, he saw prisoner behind the bar in proximity to the till, while the ba boy was endeavoring to get him outside. The bar boy corroborated this statement adding that two dollars were missing from the till : so that his Worship was satisfied Crowe had made an attempt to live on the fat of the "Land we live in."-Prisoner, however, who presented a most dilapitated appearance, said that he was intoxicated last night, but he was certain he took no money from the till. The landlord treated him in this manner, although he often spent his dollars at this public-house; it was hard to be so treated. -His Worship said he would send defendant to Gaol for two months: upon which Crowe shook his fist at Kirsehman, the grog shopkeeper "I'll warm you when I get ou and appealing to the Bench on the that he had done nothing at all. Magistrate, after giving defendant very serious lecture upon the folly of behaving in a defiant manner towards the just restraints of the law, ordered him find security to keep the peace toward the landlord of the "Land We Live in" for three months from the expiration of his sentence. Crowe then retired as quiet as ; lamb: but the Sikh constable who escorted him gaolwards soon after returned complaining of having been assaulted. inspector and a veteran P.C. (60) then guarded Crowe to the care of Mr Douglas. Mr Paulsen (of Messrs Bosman & Co. appeared to answer a summons, at the instance of the Inspector of Nuisances (Albert), for causing an obstruction on the footpath at Praya West. The Inspector stated that the veraudah of defendant's The two composite screw gunboats built by godowns was always obstructed by bales of that they had done so for six or eight years

defendants or not.

ential members of Parliament to support soner, he was asked what he had to say in district of this Colony. I apprehended thing else in his pocket. the petition, and of organising a deputation defence, and replied that he was a street prisoner yesterday, and now charge him to wait on the Colonial Secretary with a coolie and had been asked by complainant with intent to murder His Royal Highness In respect of their form of Government, statement regarding it. It would appear to carry the box. Having given several Alfred Ernest Albert, Duke of Edinburgh, distinctly. Ceylon and Hongkong labor under very that by some oversight the Hongkong Com- venturesome replies to various inquiries at Clontarf, Middle Harbor. About three similar disadvantages. The case of the mittee failed to recognise the necessity for made by the Bench regarding his friends, o'clock yesterday afternoon I was at Clon- examined,—I was at the Sailors' Home pic- cellency the Earl of Belmore, who was sitformer was explained with admirable clear securing some influential support for the stay in the Colony, &c., a female witness tarf, partly on duty, and saw the Duke of nic. I was first at luncheon with the Duke ting beside His Royal Highness. He afterness in the House of Commons by Mr movement in this country, and to have re- was called in, who gave a totally mistaken | Edinburgh, and when he retired from wards proposed to carry out the intention Gorst, the member for Cambridge, whose garded the work as finished when the petition notion of things generally; in fact, the devery temperate speech did not contain a had been signed and despatched. This op- fence had been wretchedly bungled, and tion of the beach. When they had got went out of the luncheon tent at the same Citizens' Bill; and one of the ten men single exaggerated statement. The question porture formation of the London Commit- prisoner was thereupon sentenced to six half way to the beach, I was then myself time as the Duke of Edinburgh, His Excel- previously referred to wished to accompany was, he said, whether the colony was to be tee fortunately obviates any difficulty that months' hard labour, and ordered to find about seventy yards from the Duke. I then lency Lord Belmore, Lady Belmore, and him for the purpose of setting fire to the

From the Penang Gazette, of the 10th instant, we take the following extract giving some particulars of, and editorial comment upon, the new treaty recently concluded by Government with the Rajah

of Quedah :---

We hear from Singapore that the new treaty between this Government and Siam was signed there by the Siamese Commissioners and the Raja of Quelah on the 21st ultimo. The terms are nearly the same as those of the agreement made last year between the Governor and the Raja. The annual payment of \$10,000 to the Raja is to be continued, and he is also to be allowed to levy duties on exports to British tically as complete a farce as that of Ceylon, memorial in support of the Anglo-Indian possessions of paddy at \$4 a coyan, rice \$8 boundary stipulated for by the agreement has been somewhat modified. The right bank of the Muda becomes the boundary on the north, so that the Muda from the Simatul Boundary Pillar to its mouth is now included in Province Wellesley; bu with the right of navigation reserved to Siamese subjects. On the east the new boundary will run south from the Pillar to the old boundary at the east end of the Martajam range. To the

south of this it will partly follow the old boundary and partly be drawn back into the Province, but the truct that will be thus ceded to the Rajah is considerably less than what was comprised in the original agreement. No excise shops are to be established within 2 miles or either side of the eastern boundary without the consent of both Governments. The mutual extradition of criminals is provided for. The former treaties with Quedah are annulled. A very singular agreement is made about maintaining the new boundary line. A belt 300 feet broad is to be kept clear by each Government along its side of the line, no part of which is to be made over to private individuals. This will entail on our Government the expense of keeping

clear about a thousand orlongs of uncultivated land. It would have been much cheaper to have had a small ditch cut along the line, and the formation of a road or bridle path along it would have been useful to the Settlement, whereas the maintenance of a waste 600 feet broad in which houses and cultivation are prohibited will be a per manent nuisance. Sir H. Ord has lost an opportunity of be-

nefiting this Settlement by freeing it from the annual payment to Quedah of \$10,000. This, as we pointed out formerly, he might have done without any injustice to the Raja. On the other hand that our small revenue should now be permanently burdened with the charge of \$10,000 which until now was purely voluntary, while we are deprived of the compensating exemption from duties on exports of rice and other necessaries from Quedah, is an injustice to this population.

ARRIVAL OF THE MAIL.

The P. & O. steamer Ellora, Captain Murray, from Bombay with dates to the 17th instant, Galle the 22nd, and Singapore the 30th idem, bringing the Europe mails of 21-27th March, arrived last night. The following are the latest Telegrams

dated London:— March 27th. -- In the House of Common last night, the Abolition of Flogging in the Army was voted by 152 against 127 votes Mr Disraeli has published a letter in which he declares that a crisis in England is imminent in consequence of the purpos avowed by a strong party to destroy the sacred union of Church and State. Directors of the Oriental Bank Corporation have declared a dividend, amounting to six

per cent, for the half-year. 30th March. - 1 memorandum of Sir content of Natives with British rule India. He advocates increased employ ment for them in duties connected with Government Lord Cardigan is dead

9th April.-Sir Roderick Murchison has received a letter from Doctor Kirk dated Zanzibar the fourth February, announcing the arrival of the long-expected Arab messenger with Despatches, and a letter from Doctor Livingstone had then arrived at Ujy balf way along the Lake Zauganjika.

In the Cotton Market a moderate busiicss has been done, but the market has shown more activity. . Total sales 15,000 ales Spec. and Exp. 5.000. Total Surate bales. Imports 8,000. Fair Ben-

New York, April 8th.—Latest Cabl ave gained the Connecticut Elections. Darcy Macmee has been assassinated at Ottawa, and the Assassin remains undis-

ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OF THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH. A preliminary enquiry juto the charge against Henry James O'Farrell, of wound Edinburgh, was held on March 13, at Darlinghurst gaol. We condense the report given in the Sydney Morning Herald :-The face of the prisoner (who was attired in the prison dress of white canvas) present ed a sickening sight. The left side of his without hindrance of any kind, and that, if face was very much swelled, and the righ he were not much mistaken, the ground of side out and bruised in several places. the verandah was their own property.whilst his right eye was black, protruding This the Magistrate very much doubted and closed, and bis left livid with bruises, and fined defendant 25 cents; but on subseand canable of being only partially opened, quent request remanded the case for a day The skin down the front of his nose was or two, in order to discover whether the abrased, and that feature was also considerproperty under the verandah belonged to ably swollen. The prisoner is about ofth A coolie named Pang Tung was charged straw-colored hair and wears all round prisoner by the hair and shoulder. He of the three Irishmen at Manchester. He tial elections at the end of the year, with larceny of a box from the steamer whiskers, and a medium sized moustache, said, "I'm a area Fenian, and I'll die for stated that the general design of the Fenian A woman has been arrested in Detroit Undine about dusk last night, which box He is about thirty-five years of age. Unable my country." I noticed a revolver in his contained about \$60, and belonged to a to see except with difficulty, yet he was left-hand outside breast-pocket of his coat. English people (or aristocracy), believing horrible form. It is charged that she took passenger who appeared to be a respectable observant of the proceedings; and although He was on the ground; and just rising. I that to be the most effectual mode of brings is new-born infact from one of her boarders.

THE following remarks condensed from of the petition to the House of Commons, ing alarmingly frequent, no less than three to the various statements of the manner in crowd to look out, as he had another pistol. that he intended to have shot the Prince

two securities of \$50 each for twelve months saw the prisoner rush up from behind. He some others. The Duke led Lady Belmore pavilion by means of inflammable subfired before I reached prisoner. Whilst in Home, and gave me an envelope. We the cab driving up from the steamer to the went, a little further in the same direction, gaol I saw that prisoner was a good deal and meeting with Mr and Mrs. George knocked about in the face. He said. "I've Allen, he shook hands with Mr Allen, and made a mess of it, and all for no good." | then proceeded further, still going in the I saw a shot fired before the Duke fell.

and all for no good?—Yes.

that caused the second shot to explode. ing lieutenant on board Her Majesty's ship | could not say that I saw him fall. I faced with me. The weapon bears the name of had anything in his hand or not. He pre-Smith and Wesson, Springfield, Massa- sented a pistol at me. I could see the very one between the two chambers discharged his back, and clasped in front. I could not and the rest are here. Those who remainand to have missed fire. William Vial.—I am a coachmaker. I

was at the Sailors' Home Pionic, and saw the Duke of Edinburgh there. I saw His Royal Highness leave the luncheon table. had been in the tent, and left it to walk down the green with two young ladies. I saw the Duke leave the luncheon booth and proceed to the small pavilion or tent put struggling. I observed one or, as I thought, up for his accommodation. Near that place | two policemen trying to pull some of them | Duke of Edinburgh, -May it please your he was talking with two or three gentle- off. I think there were two policemen. Royal Highness,-We, the petty and nonmen; Sir William Manning was one: I Almost on the same instant I saw on my commissioned officers of the Galatea, in next saw His Royal Highness present Sir left hand a number of men carrying His behalf of the ship's company, desire to ex-William with an envelope. They were then Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh press to your Royal Highness, our beloved standing close together in front of the towards his private pavilion or tent, and I captain, our heartfelt sympathy with you small pavilion. They left that place heard His Royal Highness say something in your sufferings, consequent from the together and walked down the green to- to this effect, "Carry me more easily, or wound recently inflicted by the hand of an wards where I was standing. Just as the gently." I then followed the party carry- assassin, and we all desire to express our Duke and Sir William got directly opposite | ing the Duke, and took no more notice of | deepfelt thankfulness for your providential me in a line, I stood a little on one side to the man or anything that occurred in re- escape from the assassin's deadly intent. let them pass. I was still looking at them, when I saw a man come up from the side and behind, and make four or five quick stens towards the Duke and Sir William. Before I had time to move towards him; he levelled a pistol at His Royal Highness's back, and fired. The point of the pistol was about four feet off when he fired. The Duke fell on his hands, and rather on his right side, exclaiming, "My back broken," or something to that effect. Sir William Manning on the moment turned round and faced the man. The man resang out to Sir William Manning, "Stand | William Manning, He presented the pistol at Sir William, and drew the trigger, but the pistol did not go off. At that moment sprang upon him, got my arms round his.

and clasped my hands tightly in front him. - He then had the pistol levelled again in the direction of His Royal Highness and Sir William Manning, who were both in line with him, the Duke being on in a line. I had jumped on his back and the pistol pointed ready for another shot. Whilst I held him in that way, he twisted is right arm round; and pointed the pistol at me, attering an oath at the time; "You b-y b-r." I think were the words used: when he found he could not fire at me he levelled the pistol again in the direction he had it before, and then I passed my right hand quickly down his right arm, knocking it down and diverting the direction of the ball to the ground; whilst this position I put my right heel in front of his leg to throw him over if I could, but just then I was caught by the hair of the head, and treated unmercifully for a time, being thrown down, kicked, and beaten in the hurry of the people to got hold of him. had no idea what became of the man ; had as much as I could do to extricate my self, some having hold of me by the beard and whiskers, others giving me blows until Libled from the mouth and nose. When came to inquire after the man he was gone the man I speak of was in build and size about the same as prisoner, but when I saw him he was not defaced as now. I forgot to mention that I sang out for assistance, saying I had got him. Flenty of assistance came in a moment.

Senior-sergeant Rawlinson, examined. Assisted in arresting prisoner. I saw pistol taken from him by Police-serge int Musgrove. It was taken from the outside breast pocket of his coat. On the wharf as we were coming from the steamer to th cab, he said, "I don't care for death. I'm sorry I missed my aim : I made a b----y mess of it." This was said to me volunturily. I had not spoken to him at all He said he was a Fenian, and "God say Ireland." This was not on the wharf, was when I first got hold of him at Clontarf. He was then kicking and plunging, and I had hold of one of his legs. He said "I'm a Fenian -God save Ireland." was from twenty to twenty-five yards from him when the shots were fired, and came up immediately he was laid hold of. There was a rush made. Immediately after he had said he had made "a --- mess of it," he said, "I can't help it now,"

Richard Musgrove, sergeant of police, 10in. in height, and strongly built, has assisted in securing prisoner-I got hold of Chinaman. Captain Toppin informed his he asked a few questions, he was never dis seized the pistol. I thought he had hold ing about the independence of Ireland. The wrapped it in rags and burned it to ashes

March form an apt pendant to our arti- last mail. The Association has undertaken short time since.—Evidence having been John Waisthall Orridge examined—I am were loaded and capped. It is a small- had a good opportunity of doing so, having the duty of procuring the aid of some influ- produced which clearly convicted the pri- superintendent of police for the Southern sized Colt's revolver. I did not find any- procured a gur for the purpose, and hired

came suddenly from the crowd, took several to the pavilion or private tent provided for stances which he had in his possession; but The License Meeting was postponed from | quick steps, and when within about two | him; and Lord Belmore, accompanied by a | he (O'Farrell) was unwilling to sacrifice so yards of the Duke, whose back was towards lady and myself, followed to the same tent. many lives when the engagement he had him, I saw him present a revolver at the The Duke then signified to me in some way entered into required but one. Subsequently Duke's back. I immediately began to run | that he desired my attendance, walked a | he intended to have accomplished his ditowards the Duke. As I was running I little way from the tent, and went in a abolical design at the Prince of Wales saw and heard a revolver discharged, and direction towards the trees skirting the bay Theatre on the occasion of the Fancy Dress immediately I saw the Duke fall on his -towards the water-accompanied by my- Ball, but for some cause or other was led hands and knees. The pistol was pointed self only. He very shortly after said he to postpone it for a more favourable oppordirectly at his back. A second shot was | wished to present a donation to the Sailors' | tunity." same direction towards the bay: His Royal Dart with a copy of the subjoined letter, Cross-examined by prisoner. - Did I make | Highness was conversing with me when I | addressed by one of the seamen of the the remark that I had made a mess of it, heard an explosion, which appeared to me Galatea to a friend in Newcastle—a relative like that of some small firework or cracker of Mr Dart. The letter, as our readers Prisoner.—I think you are wrong. In the discharged in the air. It was very close to will see, contains information differing from struggle it was the party that came behind me, but at the time I had no idea what it any we have yet received; but, apart from was. I think the Duke made some exclamation the "news" the communication contains, William Henry Bradley. - I am navigat- tion indicating that he was struck, but I the beautiful spirit of loyal devotion which Gulatea. I was at the Sailors' Home Pienic | round towards the direction the report had | to be perused far and near with feelings of yesterday, at Middle Harbour. I received come from, and I believe I advanced to peculiar interest. The following is the letfrom the last witness a revolver. I have it | wards the man. I cannot say whether he | ter; it came to hand yesterday morning:chusetts. It has a six-barrelled revolving small single barrel. He was in the act of addressing you so, for it is only fun. But cylinder, and the barrel, which is about presenting the pistol at me, as I thought, that is not what I am going to talk about. seven inches long, turns upon a hinge, in a line with my head. It appeared to me | The first thing will be about our beloved admitting of the removal of the cylinder | that he was on the very instant of firing, | captain, the attempt on whose life you have for the purpose of loading. The ammuni- and I lowered myself to the ground as already heard about. I am happy to say tion used is a detonating capsule cartridge.] quickly as I could to avoid the shot. In so | he is progressing very favourably; the ball When I received it, it was in exactly the doing I lost my balance, and fell. I was in was extracted yesterday about 12 o'clock, same state as now, except that it was then the act of rising when I saw the man again and thank God for it. The villain that covered with sand; two alternate chambers at a somewhat greater distance, and pre- committed the deed has split. He says

ing over something on the ground, and loved captain by us all:-Prisoner.—I have no question to ask,

but I would make a remark. If he had not come forward. I would have shot the Duke a second time. The Crown Solicitor - Will the prisoner | obedient servants,

repeat what he has just said? Prisoner.—If Sir William Manning had not rushed between me and the Duke, the Duke would have received a second shot. He rushed right at me. The Prince would have received a second shot, and I should have shot myself; but I had not time to do treated in a side direction towards me, and | it. Of course I had nothing to do with Sir |

Alexander Watson (naval surgeon, serving on board H.M.S. Challenger) recalled. -With the assistance of Dr. Young. extracted the ball from the body of the Dake of Edinburgh on Saturday morning last, at eight o'clock. I am now pretty nearly able to state what his wound is, ar where it commenced and terminated. ball entered two inches to the right of the have the bullet with me. (Bullet produced.) I see the revolver produced (the revolver picked up from the ground, and having two chambers discharged) lieve this bullet could have come from that

The whole of the depositions having been read by Mr Lees, his worship called upon prisoner to stand up, and then asked him f he had anything to say, at the same time administering the usual caution before com-

Prisoner. - I have nothing to say but that he task of executing the Duke was senout, and allotted to me. The Crown Solicitor -Will you repeat

vhat you have just said? Prisoner. - The task of executing th Prince was sent out to me, but I failed and I am not very sorry that I did fail

That is all I have to say. He was than formally committed to tak his trial at the Central Criminal Court. be holden at Darlingburst, on the 26th

The wretched miscreant O'Farrell has Gaol by the Colonial Secretary, Mr Parkes, and the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, the Hon, W. M. Arnold, to whom, we understand, he was very communicative. He stated that he intended to have shot at the Prince a second time as he lay on the ground, and then to have shot himself, but was prevented from so doing by the movoment of Sir William Manning. He stated, noreover, that a written instrument had organisation was to strike terror into the for the crime of infanticide in the most organised just in time to take charge Worship that such robberies were becom- turbed from the almost stolid indifference of it, and was trying to fire it, and told the prisoner, we understand, went on to state in the kitchen stove,

a room which commanded a view of the Prisoner. -I never used the word procession. He was, however, deterred "b-y" He used the word "b-y" from carrying out his intention on that

> LETTER FROM A SEAMAN ON BOARD HER MAJESTY'S SHIP "GALATEA." (From the Newcastle Chronicle, Mar. 19.)

We have been favoured by Mr William

Her Majesty's ship Galatea, Sunday. Dear ___,_Do not think me bold in are discharged, the intermediate one ap- senting a pistol. Just at that instant I saw | that there are thirty of them altogether. pearing to have missed fire; the cap of the | two arms come round the man's arms, from | Ten are gone to England, ten to Ballarat, appears to have been struck by the hammer | see the man; but the arms came from | ed here drew lots, and it fell to the lot of behind just at the instant the man with the | this fellow (O'Farrell) to shoot the Prince. pistol appeared to be about to fire. Very He has tried several times, but some good shortly afterwards the pistol exploded; but | chance has caused him to fail. He tried how quickly after I am not able to state. to shoot His Royal Highness the first day The next thing I saw after I got up was a he landed in Sydney, but a policeman got cluster of men on the ground at the spot in the way, and he was disappointed. The where the man had been. They were lean- following is a letter addressed to our be-

To our beloved Captain H. R. H. the We pray that the same good Providence may soon restore you to perfect health and strength, and that your Royal Highness may, in God's good time, be enabled to resume the joyful command of your most

THE GALATEA'S SHIP'S COMPANY, So my dear friend and friends, you see that we love our little man. There is a guard of our own now ashore at Government-house. . . . Believe me to be your well-wishing friend,

GABRIEL C. POWELL.

(From the Mitchell's Maritime Register.) The Trades Conneil at Birmingham have resolved on having a working man as one of their representatives. They propose to pay him £300 a year and his election expenses. Something is likely to be done with the

view of qualifying women to become medical practitioners. But the manner in which every privilege is granted shews that M.D.'s as a rule are opposed to female doctors For instance, it has been rumoured for some time that the Court of Assistants of the Apothecaries Company have determined on admitting women to the art examination at the hall. They have done so after receiving legal advice to the effect that they were able, or rather bound to act as they have done, it being the opinion of the lawyer to whom the case was put that they had no option. At least, such is the rumour, But they have guarded the concession by a vexatious rule, so that the privilege will hardly be of much value. It is to the effect that women will be required to dissect in company with young men. This leaves the question very much where it was before and ladies wishing to receive a medical education must still have recourse to the Female Medical College.

The Morning Herald announces that Mr Angelo, the distinguished African traveller. is about to go to the Somali country, in order to learn the fate of the crew of the St. Abbs, which drifted on to that coast thirteen years ago. It is not yet decided if ie shall be accredited by the Government as Ministers naturally hesitate about encountering fresh responsibilities, such as those which have necessitated the Abyssisinian campaign. But he will be the paid agent of the Government, and is willing in all else to go upon bis own risk. He represents the natives in that part of Africa as very humane - a widely different account. from that which Mr Speke has given in his work, "What led to the discovery of the Source of the Nile." It was among the

Somalis that he nearly lost his life. Almost all the American correspondents of the English journals agree in speaking of the wonderful indiscretion of the President. He seems to be his worst enemy. been received from the heads (or directors) His selection of so weak a man as Lorenzo: f the Fenian movement (a republic) at | Thomas to succeed Stanton shews how badhome, directing the execution of the Prince, a judge he is of human nature. Since then and that ten persons entered into a solemn | he has selected Mr Ewing, an old gentleengagement to shoot him in the event of man 78, who has long lived in retirement. the lot falling to him. The lots, the prison- While it is certain that the impeachment is er stated, were drawn by a boy in the pre- to be pushed on with vigour, it is not yet sence of the ten men, and it fell to his lot settled if the President shall be suspended to execute the Prince. This it is stated, during its progress. Should the trial be took place about two months ago. He said prolonged, there is no doubt that this will he regretted that it had fallen to his lot to be done, because the Republican partykill the Prince; but the killing was not | who will then be represented at the White regarded by him, or by any of the others in House by one of their own members, Mr the light of an assassination, but in the Wade-will want to get control of the pasame way as they regarded the execution tronage, in order to influence the Presiden-

lowing morning. All Letters posted between 5 and 6 A.M. on the 15th May will be chargeable, in addition to the usual postage, with a

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VICTOR KRESSER. Chief Manager. Hongkong, February 14, 1868.

By order of the Court of Directors,

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NOTICE TO SHALLHOLDERS. HE Fee on the Transfer of Shares in the Corporation will henceforth be One Dullar for each Certificate issued, instead of Twenty-five Cents upon each individual Share as formerly. VICTOR KRESSER,

Chief Manager. Hongkong, March 11, 1868.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. OTICE is hereby given that the REGIS-

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Hongkong, January 21, 1868. SHANGHAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

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